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Junior Section	************	78

SUMMARY.

Senior Class 6
Junior Class 9
Sophomore Class 10
Freshman Class 40
Preparatory Department, Senior Section
Preparatory Department, Junior Section
Total

 $_{\rm Norg. \to E.}$ C., East College; W. C., West College; C. C., Center College; C. I., Classical Irregular.











COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

Mitchell's Ancient and Classical Geography. Pinneo's English Grammar.
Ray's Arithmetic.
Ray's Algebra, (first part.)
McClintock's and Crook's first book in Latin.
McClintock's second book in Latin.
Bullions' Greek Grammar and Reader.
Greek and Latin Exercises.
Sallust, (Anthon's.)
Composition and Declamation.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

FIRST TERM.

1 hystotogy		
Virgil		
Xenophon—Cyropædia		
AlgebraLoomis.		
Mythology		
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SECOND TERM.		
LivyLincoln.		
Xenophon		
Algebra—continued		
Greek AntiquitiesFiske.		
THIRD TERM.		
Livy—continued		
Herodotus and Isocrates		
Geometry, PlaneLoomis.		
Botany, with Lectures		











SOPHOMORE CLASS.

FIRST TERM.

Horace's Odes. Homer—Iliad or Odyssey. Geometry, Solid. Conic Sections. Trigonometry, Plane Zoölogy. Loomis. Loomis.
SECOND TERM.
Xenophon's Memorabilia. Loomis. Trigonometry, Spherical Loomis. Mensuration and Surveying Loomis. Analytical Geometry Loomis.
THIRD TERM.
Cicero De Officiis
JUNIOR CLASS.
FIRST TERM.
Thucydides
SECOND TERM.
Horace—Satires and Epistles
Greek Tragedy Evidences of Christianity
SENIOR CLASS.
FIRST TERM.
Tacitus—Germania Agricola









SECOND TERM.

Longinus
Butler's Analogy
Experimental Philosophy
THIRD TERM.
Elements of Criticism
International and Constitutional Law
Review in Mathematics.
Review in Languages. Astronomy

Throughout the College course there will be weekly recitations in the Greek Testament by the College classes. Instruction in Modern Languages and Hebrew will be given if desired. Frequent and stated exercises in Elocution are required throughout the course. Ancient Geography, and Greek and Roman Antiquities, are studied in connection with the languages. Translations and exercises in Greek and Latin Composition are also required. Manuals—Bullions' Latin and Greek Grammars; Anthon's Classical Dictionary of Antiquities; Fiske's Manual of Classical Literature.

SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

The following studies constitute the course necessary to be completed in order to graduation to the degree of Bachelor of Science and English Literature:









Mensuration and Surveying	
Botany	
Mental Philosophy	
Mcteorology	
Rhetoric	. Whately.
Zoölogy	
Physiology	
Elements of Criticism	
Chemistry	
Logic	
Mechanics	
Evidences of Christianity	
Political Economy	
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Astronomy	
Mineralogy	
Moral Philosophy	
International and Constitutional Law	
Geology	
Butler's Analogy.	

The students in the Scientific course are admitted to recitations and lectures in any of the regular College classes.











LECTURES.

In the department of Natural Philosophy and Chemistry, the subjects taught are illustrated by experiments. In connection with the prescribed text-books, lectures are also delivered on Physiology, Geology, Astronomy, Mental and Moral Philosophy, International Law, and Political Economy.

MODE OF INSTRUCTION.

The recitations and examinations are conducted with a strict regard to the mental discipline of the students. The development of the intellectual and moral powers, the formation of correct habits of thought and study, and the communication of useful knowledge, are the three paramount objects of every recitation in all the departments of the University.

TERMS OF ADMISSION.

- 1. Testimonials of good moral character are in all cases required, and those who are admitted from other Colleges, must produce certificates of dismission in good standing.
- 2. Students may be received at any time, but it is earnestly recommended, both for the advantage of the students and the convenience of the Professors, that they should enter at the beginning of the term.
- 3. Candidates for advanced standing, whether from other Colleges or not, in addition to the preparatory studies, are examined in those previously pursued by the class which they propose to enter; or if they come from institutions in which different authors are read, in those which shall be deemed an equivalent to this course.
- 4. Before being admitted to a recitation, each student will procure a certificate of scholarship, and present the same to the Registrar for







record on the books of the University, and also a receipt from the Treasurer, showing that room rent and contingent fee have been paid.

5. Whenever the further connection of any student with the University shall be deemed by the Faculty undesirable, on account of particular misdemeanor or general neglect of duty and disregard of regulations, such student may be privately or publicly dismissed.

STUDIES AND RECITATIONS.

Students will pursue the studies of the classes to which they are assigned, unless exempted for special reasons. No student will take a study to which he has not been assigned, nor discontinue a study without permission obtained from the Faculty. Permission to be absent from a recitation must, if practicable, be obtained of the Professor beforehand; if not thus obtained, excuse must be rendered as soon after as possible. Every student is required to attend three recitations or lectures a day; and a faithful record of the attainments and delinquences of each student is kept by the Professors, and transmitted to guardians and parents as often as they think necessary.

EXAMINATIONS.

There are three public examinations each year, at the close of each College Term; to which the Trustees of the University, the parents and guardians of students, and all persons who feel interested, are invited. In all cases, when from any cause a student has failed to be present at the regular examination, he shall undergo an examination before being permitted again to recite in the classes of the University.









PUBLIC WORSHIP.

Prayers are attended in the College Chapel every morning, with the reading of the scriptures, and all the students are required to be present. Every Sabbath, at 3 o'clock P. M., a lecture on some moral or religious subject will be delivered, in the University Chapel; at which time all the students are expected to attend. It is also recommended by the Faculty that every student attend some other place of public worship on Sabbath morning, according to the direction or preference of his parent or guardian.

DISCIPLINE.

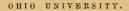
Records are kept by the Faculty, exhibiting accurately the standing of each student in scholarship and deportment. A low standing on either record will be followed by private reproof and admonition, and notice of the same will be given to the parent or guardian. Unexcused absence from a public examination, or continued delinquency, may subject the offender to degradation to some lower class, or to separation from the Institution. It is believed, however, that a prompt and judicious coöperation, on the part of parents and guardians, will relieve the Faculty from the necessity of resorting to severe measures, and that the ends of good government may be secured by means that will save the feelings and reputation of the student.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

No student is allowed to be absent without special leave, except in vacations. The absence of a student, even a day, in term time, exerts on his progress an evil influence which is seldom appreciated fully by parents or guardians; hence no apology but that of sickness, or other unavoidable accident, is sufficient to excuse a student from a regular attendance at recitation.









GRADUATION AND DEGREES.

It is the design of the Faculty to maintain the highest standard of education which the state of society will admit. The course of Collegiate study is that which has proved, from experience best adapted to the purposes of liberal education, the making of sound, practical, and accomplished scholars. To complete this course requires four years. On those alone who finish this course, can the degree of Bachelor of Arts be conferred. The studies of the Preparatory Department can be easily accomplished in two years. The course of study in the Scientific Department is so arranged as to meet the wants and wishes of a large class of young men, whose time, means, or other circumstances, do not admit of their pursuing a regular College course, but who desire to qualify themselves for teaching, or for business pursuits. With a competent knowledge of the common English branches, they may enter the Scientific Department, and in two years complete an extensive course of Mathematics, Natural Science, and Belles-Lettres. On the completion of the full course, students will, if approved on examination, be admitted to the degree of Bachelor of Arts. Any student may pursue a partial or an entire course of study, as may suit his circumstances; and when any one shall have accomplished the entire English and Scientific course, the degree of Bachelor of Science will be conferred on him. This title, borrowed from the French Colleges, has already been introduced into many of our Colleges, both in the East and West, to mark the gradation of a similar class of students. But no one will be admitted to the Collegiate degree of Bachelor of Arts, unless he pass a thorough and satisfactory examination in the entire Classical course. The degree of Master of Arts is conferred, on the payment of the usual fee, upon every Bachelor of Arts of three years' standing, who, during the interval, has sustained a good moral character, and has pursued professional or scientific studies during that period.









LITERARY SOCIETIES.

There are two Literary Societies connected with the University, the Athenian and Philomathean, each of which has a hall and library, and in which students may enjoy the advantages of exercises in declamation, composition and debate, beside becoming familiar with the proper modes of conducting business in deliberative assemblies.

LIBRARIES, CABINET AND APPARATUS.

The libraries of the University and of the Societies, contain a large number of choice and valuable books. To these additions are made from time to time. There is a supply of apparatus amply sufficient to afford the means for a satisfactory illustration of the most important doctrines in the various departments of Mathematics, Astronomy, Natural Philosophy and Chemistry. The Mineralogical Cabinet is well selected, and affords the means of a very complete exhibition of the subjects of Mineralogy and Geology.

EXPENSES.

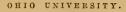
Tuition fees are, in the College proper, ten dollars per term, and in the Preparatory Department, eight dollars per term. Rent of room in the College, \$1.50 per term. Contingent fee, per term, \$1.00. Boarding, in good families, may be had at \$2.00 per week. Fuel, light, washing, extra. Many of the students board themselves, at from seventy-five cents to one dollar per week.

The Trustees have authorized, for a limited time, the sale of scholarships at the following rate: Three years' tuition for fifteen dollars. The scholarship may be had from L. Jewett, Esq., and J. M. Dana, Esq., in Athens.

By a resolution of the Board of Trustees of the University, one student from each county of the State, to be selected by the Board of County Commissioners and Auditor, is admitted to any department of the Institution free of charge for tuition. County students are, however, charged one dollar per term for contingences as other







students. With regard to pocket money, it is earnestly recommended to all parents sending their children to this Institution, no matter how wealthy they may be, not to furnish them with extravagant means. The scholarship and character of students are often grievously injured by a free indulgence in the use of money. Whatever is furnished beyond a reasonable supply for ordinary expenses, exposes the student to numerous temptations, and endangers rather than increases his happiness and respectability. As a precaution against extravagance, it is suggested that parents at a distance may deposit funds with some one residing in the vicinity of the University, and in whom they have confidence, who, in that case, may pay particular attention to the pecuniary concerns of the student, settle his bills, and correspond with the parents, transmitting an account of his expenditures.

SITE.

The village of Athens, the seat of the University, is pleasantly situated on the banks of the Hockhocking river, the present terminus of the Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad, about twenty-five miles from the Ohio river, and in its position is elevated and healthful, commanding a scenery eminently picturesque and beautiful. It is, since the completion of the Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad to this place, easy of access in all directions west; and in point of morals, cheapness of living, and healthy climate, it is favorably located for the purposes of education. The population, consisting of about fifteen hundred persons, is moral, religious and intelligent, and well calculated to exert a salutary influence on the youth who resort to the University.

COLLEGE CALENDAR—1856-7.

The day of commencement this year, is the 30th day of July. The first term begins Thursday, September 18th, 1856, and ends Tuesday, December 23d, 1856. The second term begins Friday, January 2d, 1857, and ends April 1st, 1857. The third term begins Friday, May 1st, 1857, and ends Wednesday, August 5th, 1857.



